

ORDINANCE 902

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE TOWN OF HOLLYWOOD PARK, TEXAS, FOR THE 2011-2012 FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING FOR APPORTIONING EACH LEVY FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES, WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE, AND WHEN SAME SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE TOWN OF HOLLYWOOD PARK, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: That there is hereby levied and there shall be collected for the use and support of the municipal government of the Town of Hollywood Park, Texas, for the 2011-2012 fiscal year, upon all property, real, personal and mixed, within the corporate limits of said City subject to taxation, a tax of \$.536710 on each \$100.00 valuation of property; said tax being so levied and apportioned to the specific purpose here set forth:

For maintenance and support of the general
Government (General Fund) \$.536710
And for Debt Service \$ 0
for a total tax of \$.536710 on each
\$100.00 valuation of property.

SECTION 2: **THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEARS TAX RATE.**

SECTION 3: **THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 8 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$ 46.71.**

SECTION 4: That taxes levied under this ordinance shall be due January 31, 2012 and if not paid before February 1, 2012, shall immediately become delinquent.

SECTION 5: All taxes shall become a lien upon the property against which assessed, and the City Tax Assessor and Collector of the Town of Hollywood Park, Texas, is hereby authorized and empowered to enforce the collection of such taxes according to the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and ordinances of the Town of Hollywood Park, Texas, and shall by virtue of the tax rolls, fix and establish a lien by levying upon such property, whether real or personal, for

payment of said taxes, penalty and interest, and the interest and penalty collected from such delinquent taxes shall be apportioned to the general fund of the Town of Hollywood Park, Texas. All delinquent taxes shall bear interest from date of delinquency at the rate as prescribed by state law.

SECTION 6: That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

PASSAGE THIS 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2011 at a special meeting of the City Council of the Town of Hollywood Park, Texas, they're being a quorum present, by 5 yeas; 0 nays; and 0 abstains, and approved by the Mayor on the date set out.


Bob Sartor, Mayor

ATTEST:


Janice Alamia, City Secretary





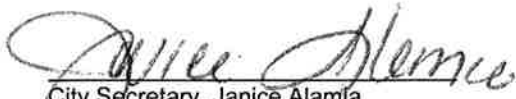
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Ordinance # 903 was passed by City Council on October 18, 2011 and submitted to the City Secretary's Office on the same date. Pursuant to Tex. Loc. Gov't Code Ann. Sec 52.003, the Mayor of the Town of Hollywood Park had four days to either sign the Ordinance or return to the Town Council for reconsideration. The Mayor did not sign the Ordinance within the proscribed time period. As a matter of State Law, said Ordinance shall become effective on October 25, 2011 notwithstanding the lack of mayoral signature.

Date: 10/25/2011


City Secretary, Janice Alamillo



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19 October 2011

Memo to the City Secretary and City Attorney

On 18 October 2011 during the regular Council meeting, item #6 under New Business pertaining to "...efficient city staff/city council member communications..." was passed by the Council.

I have concerns relating to the passage of the ordinance having been first disseminated on the day of the Council meeting. Among other issues/concerns, I believe there are separation of powers concerns, issues relating to supervisory responsibilities and powers of the Mayor, and the need to obtain a full and complete recommendation of the City Attorney. These issues and more need to be reviewed and reconsidered. The ordinance requires additional discussion and consideration by the Council.

Bob Sartor
Mayor



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10 November 2011

Memo to the City Secretary and City Attorney

Reference: Mayor Memo to City Secretary and City Attorney, dtd 19 October 2011

I am withdrawing my request for reconsideration of the Ordinance passed by Council at the 18 October 2011 Regular Council Meeting as listed in the reference.

My concerns, reservations, and objections with the Ordinance passed still remain.


Bob Sartor
Mayor